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GAME 7 HEAVEN

Leafs captain Dion Phaneuf celebrates with teammate Phil Kessel in Toronto on Sunday after scoring on Tuuka Rask in the third period. With the 2-1 victory, the Leafs face the Bruins for Game 7 in Boston on Monday night. More Leafs coverage, pages 6 & 24. FRANK GUNN/THE CANADIAN PRESS

City split on transit vote

Forum Research poll. Downtowners most in favour of transit taxes, survey suggests

Torontonians are divided right down the middle on their support for new taxes to pay for a $2-billion regional transit expansion, says a new poll from Forum Research.

Forty-two per cent of 974 residents approved of a city council vote on Thursday rejecting transit-funding levies recommended by Metrolinx. Forty-three per cent disapproved and 15 per cent had no opinion.

When half of those polled suggested they favour taxation, it shows residents recognize the need to address the city's transit situation, Forum president Lorne Bozinoff said.

"There is a genuine thirst for action on transit in Toronto now, and this vote was seen as just another attempt to kick the can down the road to the province," he said.

Although council didn't endorse a sales tax and development charges, neither did it specifically reject them.

Among supporters of Mayor Rob Ford, who declared the council vote a victory, 63 per cent approved. Among those who support NDP MP Olivia Chow for mayor, only 24 per cent approved.

Approval ratings were also highest among lower-income households.

The results are considered accurate plus or minus three percentage points, 19 times out of 20. TORSTAR NEWS SERVICE

Partisan divide

- Only 29 per cent of Liberal supporters approved of council's rejection of the taxes, while 74 per cent of Ontario Progressive Conservative voters said council did the right thing.

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Hypothetical mayor race

Chow would beat out Ford: Poll

Olivia Chow would easily defeat Mayor Rob Ford in next year's municipal election in all but one scenario where the centre-left vote is split three ways, a new poll by Forum Research shows.

In a one-on-one race, Chow would win with 57 per cent of the vote compared to 36 per cent for Ford, the poll found.

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Talking the walk

Advocating for pedestrians

Dylan Reid TORSTAR NEWS SERVICE

In Toronto's wars over traffic and transit, Dylan Reid is a foot soldier. The walking activist is fighting to reverse our affair with the car and to return us to our natural mode of transportation.

Reid says he's doing it because, first, it's healthy for people, the city and the environment, and second because it can be fun and social. By walking, you can de-stress, bump into friends and neighbours, get to know your local merchants as well as attract more amenities to the area because you're not speeding past them.

He co-founded Walk Toronto with fellow alumni of the now-defunct Toronto Pedestrian Committee.

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Supporting Leafs, runners and camp

David Brown cheers on some of the 27,000 participants as well as the Toronto Maple Leafs, on the Kay Gardner Beltline just south of Davisville on Sunday. The 17th annual Sporting Life 10K race is Canada's second-largest, with the biggest charitable contribution. This year at least $2 million was raised for Camp Oochigeas, which sends children and teens with cancer to camp in Muskoka. Go to metronews.ca for the full story. CARLOS OSORIO/TORSTAR NEWS SERVICE

Leslie back on the Crosstown LRT map

Metrolinx. Community opposition persuaded the agency to go back to its original plan

Metrolinx has restored a Leslie Street stop to the Eglinton-Scarborough Crosstown LRT by dropping its proposal to tunnel the transit line further east to Don Mills Road.

The decision marks a return to the original, provincially approved plan to begin tunneling near Brentcliffe Road west toward Yonge Street, as early as the end of this year.

The provincial transportation agency was considering a change of plan to reduce traffic impacts and streamline construction. But it would have meant putting the LRT underground at Leslie for about $80 million.

There are some condos in the area, but the station was expected to draw relatively few transit users.

"We believed that our proposals would result in significant improvements to construction staging, schedule and traffic impacts. However, in discussions with the local community it was clear that there was a strong preference for a stop at Leslie Street," said Metrolinx in a statement Friday.

Teamwork

"It's a good decision for the long term and short term."

Geoff Kettel, of the Leaside Property Owners' Association

It shows that Metrolinx listened to the community, said Coun. Jaye Robinson (Ward 25, Don Valley West). Although Leslie has relatively little density now, it will attract more development.

"We know there are applications coming down the pipe. There's going to be intensification there over the next 20 years," said Robinson, although she acknowledged that construction will tie up traffic for years along Eglinton.

But, "traffic is an issue regardless," said Geoff Kettel of the Leaside Property Owners' Association.

"This is all about making the right decision based on providing good local, as well as regional, service and providing for future growth in the whole Don Valley, north Toronto, North York," he said.

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A Toronto Downtown Area Casino is a Crapshoot.

The economics don't make any sense.

Toronto has one of the most successful downtowns in North America.

"A casino in Toronto's downtown area (C1 zone) is not required or important for revitalizing this area or fundamental to sustain what is perceived to be one of the most successful downtowns in North America." *City Manager Report, April 5, 2013, page 33*

Toronto already has a thriving economy - that's what drives job creation and investment.

"Over the last five years, Toronto region's thriving economy, totalling over 3 million jobs, has created over 3,000 net new jobs per month and according to the Conference Board of Canada will create over 300,000 jobs in the next five years." *Peter Norman, Chief Economist, Altus Group, April 24, 2013*

"Where some North American cities, like Detroit, Cleveland and Baltimore, have embraced casinos as a strategy to assist in revitalizing their languishing downtown areas and to stimulate economic development and recovery, this is not required in Toronto's downtown area." *City Manager Report, April 5, 2013, Appendix B, page 8*

Casinos do not belong in neighbourhoods.

"Toronto's downtown area is a healthy, vibrant and cosmopolitan area supporting the City's fastest growing neighbourhoods and is home to one third of Toronto's jobs ... In this context, it is City Planning's opinion that a new casino is not an essential land use in Toronto's downtown area." *City Manager Report, April 5, 2013, Appendix B, pp. 7-8*

Casinos destroy neighbourhoods, businesses and property values.

"A casino ... would dominate and destabilize the character of surrounding areas ... take away from the physical character and retail vitality of its surroundings instead of coexisting and strengthening its neighbours." *City Manager Report, April 5, 2013, page 33*

OLG's economic track record for resort casinos is lost jobs, declining revenues and decreasing attendance.

"Over the past ten years ... Gaming Revenue from the OLG Resort Casinos has gradually declined ... a cumulative 24% over the period." *City of Toronto: Potential Commercial Casino in Toronto, Ernst & Young, October 26, 2012, page 22*

We don't trust OLG proposals and neither should you.

"OLG is not a city-builder nor concerned with the quality of life of our people and neighbourhoods. Its mandate is to generate gambling revenues." *Dori J. Segal, President and CEO, First Capital Realty, Deputation at Executive Committee, April 16, 2013*

Huge risk for chance of small return.

"The City predicts some 4,770 jobs lost due to the massive disruption of a casino to existing businesses. In their optimistic forecast, they estimate a net 0.2% contribution to the Toronto region's $300 billion economy – a small gain for a big risky bet in bringing a casino to the downtown Toronto area." *Peter Norman, Chief Economist, Altus Group, April 24, 2013*

Let's not give away our downtown area and waterfront for *this*!

"Casinos are the last refuge of incompetent city management. Toronto should shun them. For those who must have an outlet for throwing money away, there is always a cheap flight to the flashy city in the desert next to Death Valley ... Where else could the Rat Pack flourish?" *Rex Murphy, National Post, April 27, 2013*

OLG Chairman says not in my neighbourhood.

"You see the polls that are taken that ask people, 'Are you opposed to a casino in your neighbourhood?' like one newspaper did. And a lot of people say 'No, not in my neighbourhood.' And I gotta tell you, I wouldn't want it in my neighbourhood." *Paul Godfrey, Chairman OLG, National Post, January 8, 2013*

Majority of Torontonians oppose a casino.

Public feedback shows 71.3% of Torontonians oppose a new casino. *City Manager Report, April 5, 2013, page 71*

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Safety concerns cited.
Softball league extends ban to all wristbands

An East York minor softball league has decided to level the playing field after a parent complained her son wasn't allowed to wear his cancer-awareness wristband during team play.

The decision came during a Friday meeting of the league's executive after parent Jennifer Schywalsky complained to the Toronto Star about what she regarded as a double standard.

Schywalsky's nine-year-old son Robbie had been told he couldn't wear his orange silicone cancer-awareness bracelet during team play for safety reasons. But the league was permitting all players to wear similar bracelets — special one-time creations the Topham Park Minor Softball League issued to all 600 members to mark its 40th anniversary this year.

The league has now banned all bracelets on the field.

Robbie Schywalsky and his parents, Robert and Jennifer, wear their cancer-support bracelets 24-7. TORSTAR NEWS SERVICE

"We made a judgment error," league president Susan Osborne said in an interview Saturday. "We, as an executive, went back and checked the Softball Canada rules again and made a decision not to wear the red (40th anniversary) bracelets." TORSTAR NEWS SERVICE

Bosma's truck found.
Mother of missing man pleads for his safe return

The mother of a southwestern Ontario man missing for close to a week pleaded for his safe return Sunday, saying his disappearance is breaking her heart.

Mary Bosma struggled to keep her composure as she described how her son Tim Bosma's absence has affected his family. She read a statement saying her Mother's Day wish is to have him home again with his wife, daughter and other relatives.

The search for Tim Bosma continued Sunday, a day after police arrested one of two men sought in connection with the case. Toronto resident Dellen Millard, 27, is charged with forcible confinement and theft over $5,000. The second suspect has not been identified.

Tim Bosma in an undated photo. THE CANADIAN PRESS

Bosma, 32, vanished Monday night after leaving his Hamilton home with a pair of men who responded to an online ad for his black 2007 Dodge Ram pickup.

Police confirmed Sunday night that they have found Bosma's truck in Kleinburg, Ont., where several police cars were parked in front of the home of Millard's mother. THE CANADIAN PRESS, WITH FILES FROM TORSTAR NEWS SERVICE

Queen and Eastern

Man struck, killed by streetcar: Police

Toronto police say a man was struck and killed by a streetcar early Sunday morning in the city's east end.

Police say the man, 60, had just stepped off a streetcar and onto the stop island when he stumbled and fell into the street around 1:30 a.m. He was then hit by the rear wheels of another streetcar. THE CANADIAN PRESS

Joey restaurant

Two men sought after another Yorkdale shooting

Police were hunting for two men and a silver Honda on Saturday after an early-morning shooting at the Yorkdale mall — the second shooting there within two months — sent a 20-year-old man to hospital. He was reported in stable condition Saturday. TORSTAR NEWS SERVICE

Maple Leafs left winger Clarke MacArthur is congratulated by teammate John-Michael Liles after scoring the game-winning goal on goalie Tuukka Rask during the third period in Game 5 in Boston on Friday night. He had predicted he would score a goal in that game, his mother says. CHARLES KRUPA/THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

MacArthur made Mother's Day promise

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Still, a win's a win.
Leafs forward, who called his winning shot in Game 5, had promised his mom a goal in Sunday's Game 6

Deb MacArthur says her son, Maple Leafs forward Clarke MacArthur, had promised her a goal on Mother's Day before, but this time it could have been the most important goal of his career.

"He always said he'll score for me," she said in a telephone interview. "If he can get some points to help the team win, that would be the best gift."

Deb was watching her son from her Alberta home Sunday, the first time she saw Clarke play in the NHL playoffs on Mother's Day.

She was joined by her husband, Dean, and her newest good-luck charm, an early Mother's Day gift from Clarke.

Deb and Dean were in Toronto last week and Clarke gave his mother a charm for her necklace, engraved with his number.

"I'll be sitting in front of the TV, rubbing it for good luck," Deb said, adding doing so has already paid off — Clarke scored the winning goal in Game 5.

Quoted

"He always did say I'm his lucky charm."

Deb MacArthur, Clarke's mom

Add that Clarke predicted he'd score in Game 5, so the chances of him netting one for his mother on Sunday looked pretty good.

"He always did say I'm his lucky charm," she said, adding the necklace has a special meaning for the MacArthur family.

When Clarke left home at just 15 years old to pursue his hockey career, his mother gave him a necklace he still wears today during NHL games.

"The necklaces are our link together as a family," said Deb, adding "he loves the playoffs and has always risen to the occasion." TORSTAR NEWS SERVICE

Coach's end game: To forge new Leafs identity

As they flew home from Boston, spirits high from their Game 5 win, the Leafs watched video of fans celebrating at Maple Leafs Square — giving the team an emotional and psychological boost heading to their most important home game of the year.

It may have contributed to the team's 2-1 win over the Boston Bruins, shattering their stretch of hometown losses in the playoffs.

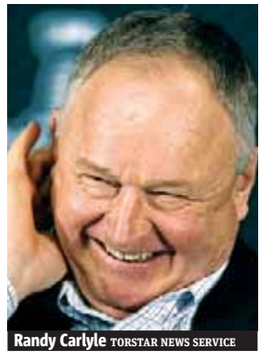
The Leafs failure to perform at home — a 5-2 defeat in Game 3 and a 4-3 overtime loss in Game 4 and many at-home losses early in the regular season — was no secret to players or coach Randy Carlyle.

"The early stages of my tenure here I found that our team was paralyzed at home — we didn't play anywhere near as confident, we weren't as relaxed, we weren't a lot of things," he said Sunday before the game. "But that has changed dramatically."

"There are some speed bumps along the way but every team goes through that," he added. "As a coaching staff we've told the group that we wanted a new identity and make this rink a tough place to play in and take points from."

Defenceman Ryan O'Byrne said Carlyle used the fan's dedication to inspire the team.

He "told us how fortunate we are to have fans like we do, and how fortunate we are to have the opportunity to play in front of them and to do something good for them," O'Byrne said.



Randy Carlyle TORSTAR NEWS SERVICE

"That was pretty exciting to us players," winger Joffrey Lupul said, of watching video of the fans. "We have unbelievable fans here, I think it's great that they finally have a chance to cheer for a playoff game. They've stuck with us; they deserve this."

The Leafs also took extra measures to ensure their players were dealing with hockey matters only; the team checked into a downtown hotel after the morning skate so the players could have some isolation before the pivotal game.

"The hotel is a good chance for us to put everything aside and not worry about it, just worry about hockey," O'Byrne said. TORSTAR NEWS SERVICE, WITH FILES FROM METRO

Turkey says it won't get into Syrian war

Twin car bombs. Biggest incident of violence across border since start of crisis

Turkey's prime minister vowed Sunday his country won't be drawn into Syria's civil war, despite twin car bombings the government believes were carried out by a group of Turks with close ties to pro-government groups in Syria. The bombings left 46 people dead.

Syria has rejected allegations it was behind the attacks. But Turkish authorities said Sunday they had detained nine Turkish citizens with links to the Syrian intelligence agency in connection with the bombings in the border town of Reyhanli, a hub for Syrian refugees and rebels just across from Syria's Idlib province.

Former Marxist group

Authorities suspect the leader of a former Marxist group, Mirhac Ural, now believed to be based in Syria, may have revived his group and ordered the attack.

Saturday's bombings, which were 15 minutes apart, damaged some 735 businesses and 120 apartments. It also wounded dozens of people, including 50 who remained hospitalized Sunday.

Turkey has firmly sided with the Syrian opposition, hosting its leaders along with rebel commanders and providing refuge to hundreds of thousands of Syrian refugees.

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Relatives mourn one of the 46 victims killed in explosions Saturday in Reyhanli, near Turkey's border with Syria. BURHAN OZBILICI/THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Sleepless in Israel. Critics restless over Netanyahu's $127K bed on 5-hour flight

Israeli Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu will seek alternate sleeping arrangements when travelling after receiving a sky-high bill for installing a customized bed on a recent flight to London, officials close to the leader said.

Netanyahu found himself facing a public uproar on Sunday after Israel's Channel 10 TV reported over the weekend that he had spent $127,000 US in public funds on a special sleeping cabin for the five-hour flight to attend Margaret Thatcher's funeral last month.

Netanyahu's office initially defended the decision, saying the prime minister had a busy schedule ahead of the flight and needed to be fresh for important meetings in Britain.

But following public criticism, officials close to Netanyahu said late Saturday that he had been unaware of the cost, and once informed, ordered the bed be cancelled on all future flights.

The uproar comes at a delicate time. Netanyahu's government is in the process of drawing up a budget expected to include painful austerity measures and tax increases due to a widening deficit.

Israeli Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS FILE

On Saturday night, several thousand people took to the streets in Tel Aviv and other cities to protest the expected budget cuts.

Earlier this year, Netanyahu stopped buying ice cream from his favourite Jerusalem parlour after an Israeli newspaper discovered his office was spending $2,700 a year for the frozen treat.

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China coal mines

40 miners killed in separate blasts

Authorities say 40 miners have died in two separate coal mine explosions in southwestern China.

Officials say 28 miners were killed in a blast Saturday at a coal mine in Sichuan province. They say 108 people were underground at the time. Less than 24 hours earlier, another coal mine blast in neighbouring Guizhou province killed 12 people.

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Asylum seekers

Indonesia stops boat carrying 96

Indonesian authorities say they intercepted a wooden fishing boat Sunday carrying 96 Middle Eastern asylum seekers trying to reach Australia.

The boat was stopped off the Benoa port on Bali island. Many initially refused to leave the boat, but agreed after an all-day standoff. Two Indonesian crew members were held on people-smuggling charges. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

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The final steps to closing the deal

Walk-through. A final inspection of the house you are going to buy is well worth the effort

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For Metro

When you arrive at the property, it's critical you put all excitement aside and examine your home carefully. JUPITERIMAGES/BRAND X PICTURES/THINKSTOCK

Your offer to purchase has been accepted and the bank has approved your mortgage loan.

But before you sign your mortgage documents and your lawyer advances the funds, it's important to have a final walk-through a few days before closing (realtor.ca recommends 48 hours prior).

A final walk-through is not a home inspection nor is it another opportunity to negotiate further with the seller or new-home builder. The primary purpose is to ensure the property is in the condition in which you agreed to purchase it.

When you arrive at the property with your realtor or new-home builder, it's critical you put all excitement aside and examine your home carefully and objectively.

Take your offer to purchase with you and review the list of items you asked to remain. For example, if you negotiated to include the home electronic system and appliances, check that what remains is indeed what you negotiated for and that it hasn't been swapped with something else.

On the flip side, if you had negotiated for items to be removed like debris from the yard, ensure that it's gone.

If your home inspector suggested repairs, maintenance or replacement of certain items, and you negotiated with the seller to complete those tasks, check that it's done. Test the following additional items:

- Run the appliances
- Turn on all lights and fixtures
- Flush toilets
- Inspect all doors, windows and floors
- Open garage doors
- Run water from all faucets and check for leaks
- Run the furnace and air conditioning unit
- If it's a new home, check to see that your list of selected finishings (floors, fixtures, and more) has been completed

If in the final walk-through you discover something materially wrong with the property (typically, it must be a few thousand dollars worth of damage), your lawyer and/or realtor will step in to negotiate and resolve the issues.

Though you are probably running around frantically trying to close your deal, don't miss your final walk-through. It's your last opportunity to ensure you are getting what you have paid for.

Enlist the seller's help

- The seller can be of tremendous help in the final walk-through. If they are open to it, have them walk you through the home and explain how systems like heating, cooling or electronics work. However, it's important that you get some time alone without the seller so you can take time and objectively evaluate the condition of the property.

Once you have moved your things into the house, your first phone call should be to your insurance company.
JACK HOLLINGSWORTH/DIGITAL VISION/THINKSTOCK

To-do list as you move in

When I took possession of my inner-city condo in last June, I was surprised at how much work was involved in changing my address, setting up utilities and arranging for tax payments. So to ensure I didn't miss anything, I created a to-do list on my iPad that I carried with me until I had completed every item.

If you haven't already done so, once you have moved your things into the house, besides phoning the local pizza joint for delivery of your favourite pie, your first phone call should be to your insurance company. The insurance provider will lead you through a series of questions to understand the types of insurance that you will need and how much. Pay close attention to policy details and deductibles (the larger the deductible, the lower the annual premium). You can set up automatic payment for insurance monthly or annually.

Next, call your local utility provider and get your electrical, heating and water services connected. Inquire about various payment options and select what suits your budget. For example, heating/cooling bills can sometimes be set to a budget program whereby the amount is the same each month regardless of the season and amount of gas you use. This can be helpful for new homeowners on a strict budget. But paying a variable amount each month may work better for others.

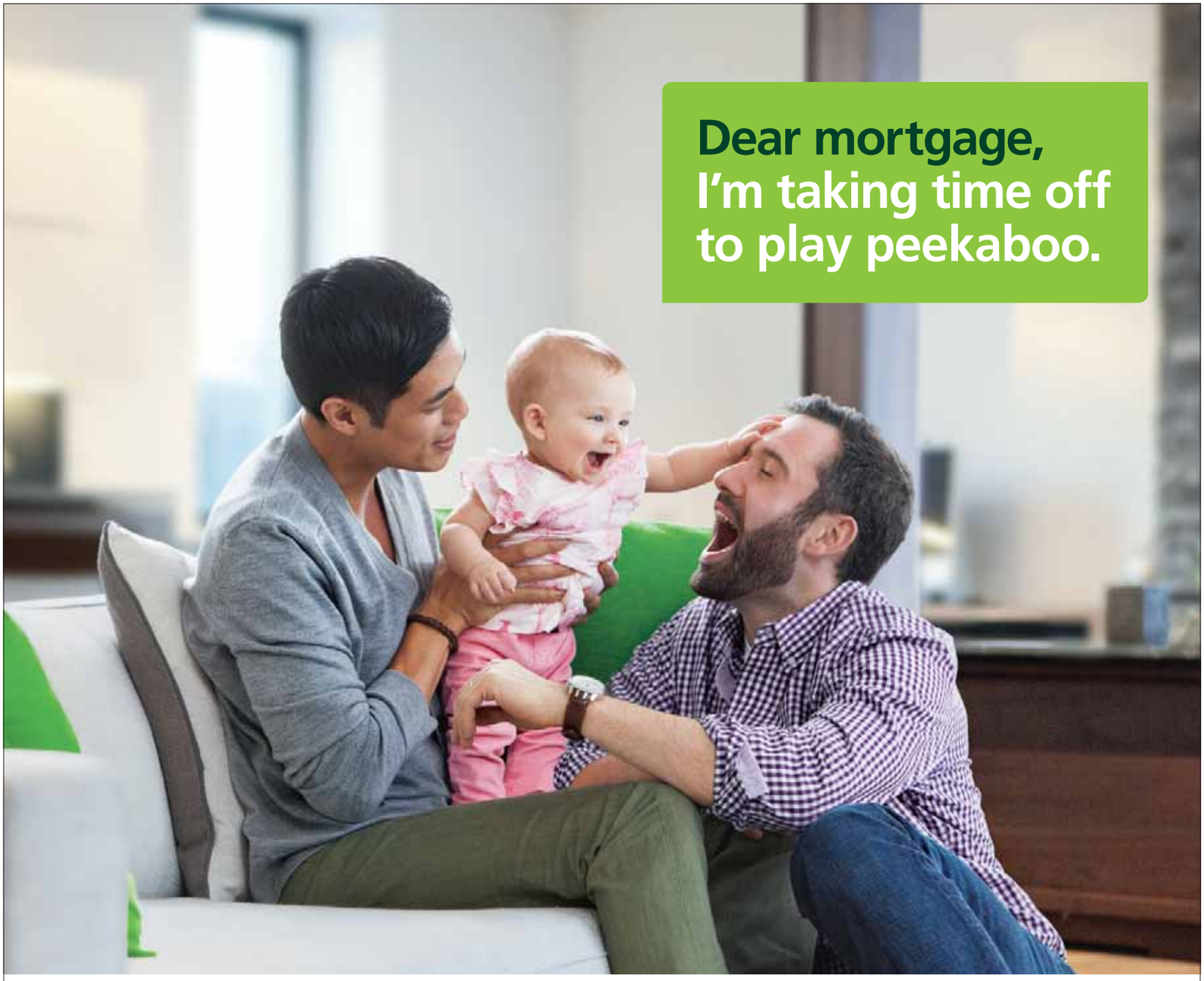
Internet, phone and cable will need to be set up if you use those services. Hunt around for the best deal — often it's cheaper when these services are bundled together.

Property taxes can typically be paid monthly or annually. By calling the appropriate department in your city, you can register for a property tax payment plan that will work best for your cash flow. Property taxes are calculated based on a percentage of the value of the property each year. So pay close attention to the property tax assessment that is mailed to you annually, and if you don't agree with the amount (valuation put on the home), you have the right to challenge it.

To best manage the operating costs associated with your home, establish a budget and stick to it. If you are stumped on how to prepare one, use templates from Mint.com, Google documents or your bank. LESLEY SCORGIE

Phone ahead

- Changing your address can be done prior to the moving trucks arriving. Call your bank, utility companies, family, friends, Canada Revenue Agency, and more. For a fee of less than $100, Canada Post can put a mail forward notification on your old address, which will redirect your mail for a certain period of time.



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Bystanders comfort a victim of Sunday's shooting in New Orleans. The victims included 10 men, seven women and two 10-year-old children. LAUREN MCGAUGHY/THE TIMES-PICAYUNE/THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Gunfire turns parade into pandemonium

New Orleans shooting.
Cops say street violence, not terror, responsible for injuring at least 19

Can't run, can't hide

"We'll get them. We have good resources in this neighbourhood."

Police Superintendant Ronal Serpas on the suspects in the shooting.

Gunmen opened fire on dozens of people marching in a neighbourhood Mother's Day parade in New Orleans on Sunday, wounding at least 19 people, police said.

The FBI said that the shooting appeared to be "street violence" and wasn't linked to terrorism.

Many of the victims were grazed and most of the wounds weren't life-threatening, according to a police news release. No deaths were reported by Sunday night.

The victims included 10 men, seven women, a boy and a girl.

The children, both 10 years old, were grazed and in good condition, but police said at least two people were in surgery Sunday night.

Mary Beth Romig, a spokeswoman for the FBI in New Orleans, said federal investigators have no indication that the shooting was an act of terrorism.

"It's strictly an act of street violence in New Orleans," she said.

Officers were interspersed with the marchers, which is routine for such events. As many as 400 people joined in the procession that stretched for about three blocks, though only half that many were in the immediate vicinity of the shooting, said Police Superintendent Ronal Serpas.

Police saw three suspects running from the scene in the city's 7th Ward neighbourhood. No arrests had been made as of Sunday night.

The neighbourhood where the shooting happened was a mix of low-income and middle-class row houses, some boarded up. As of last year, the neighbourhood's population was about 60 per cent of its pre-Hurricane Katrina level.

Police vowed to make swift arrests. Serpas said it wasn't clear if particular people in the second line were targeted, or if the shots were fired in a random fashion. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Hadfield earthbound after handing over space station

Canadian astronaut Chris Hadfield handed over command of the International Space Station as he prepared to return to Earth.

He wrapped up a five-month visit to the giant laboratory, saying it's time to turn over the reins to cosmonaut Pavel Vinogradov.

Hadfield, the first Canadian to command the station, said he achieved the goals he set out for himself before making the journey in late December.

Chris Hadfield with a new $5 bill. SEAN KILPATRICK/THE CANADIAN PRESS FILE

Plans call for Hadfield and two other crew members to leave the station Monday just after 7 p.m. EDT aboard a Russian Soyuz spacecraft.

They are due to land in Kazakhstan about three-and-a-half hours later.

While he's happy to be heading home, Hadfield said both he and his crew "would come back given the opportunity." THE CANADIAN PRESS

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Transportation Study

The underground portion of the new Eglinton Crosstown Light Rail Transit (LRT) will run for 12km between Black Creek Drive and Brentcliffe Road (with a proposed extension to Don Mills). As a result of this new underground transit service, some bus/carpool lanes may no longer be needed. As part of the Eglinton Connects Planning Study, the City of Toronto is investigating options for making the best use of this roadway space to serve all users, including pedestrians, cyclists and motorists.

This Transportation Study will follow a Municipal Class Environmental Assessment (Class EA) Schedule 'C' process, which includes identifying the problem/opportunity, developing and evaluating a reasonable range of alternative solutions, and providing opportunities for public input.

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North Pole nations

Business to have bigger role in Arctic debates: Minister

Creating a bigger presence for industry at the world's premiere international forum on northern issues won't distract from its work on environmental problems, says the Conservative cabinet minister about to lead the group.

"Absolutely not," said Leona Aglukkaq, who will assume the chairmanship of the group of the eight nations that ring the North Pole starting on Wednesday.

"That research — the work of interest to all the Arctic regions — that will continue during our chairmanship."

THE CANADIAN PRESS

Illegal-downloading megasuits rear head north of the border

Anti-piracy battle. Case involving Teksavvy, Voltage Pictures could pave way for U.S.-style actions on file-sharing

Massive lawsuits targeting people who illegally download copyrighted content are common in the U.S., where people have been stuck with hefty fines and out-of-court settlements. Now there's an attempt to bring that to Canada.

At the centre of the effort is Canipre, the only anti-piracy enforcement firm that provides forensic services to copyright-holders in Canada.

The Montreal-based firm has been monitoring Canadian users' downloading of pirated content for several months. It has now gathered more than one million different evidence files, according to its managing director Barry Logan.

One of its clients is now before Federal Court in Toronto, requesting customer information for over 1,000 IP addresses — a user's unique Internet signature — collected by Canipre.

That client is the American studio Voltage Pictures, maker of hundreds of films, including the Academy-Award-winning Hurt Locker.

On the other side of the case is Teksavvy, an Ontario-based Internet provider. The IP addresses flagged by Canipre link back to its users.

The case is set to resume next month. If the court orders Teksavvy to hand over customer info, it could be the beginning of a new chapter in the anti-piracy battle in Canada.

"We have a long list of clients waiting to go to court," said Logan, who estimates that about 100 different companies are paying close attention to the case. THE CANADIAN PRESS

U.S. precedent

- Such lawsuits have been common in the U.S. Between 200,000 and 250,000 people have been sued in the last two years, according to Internet civil-liberties group the Electronic Frontier Foundation.

Labour conditions. Bangladesh plans to raise garment workers' pay

A Bangladeshi woman reacts Sunday after her son's body was found in a garment factory building that collapsed April 24. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Bangladesh's government plans to raise the minimum wage for garment workers, a cabinet minister said Sunday, after the deaths of more than 1,100 people in the collapse of a factory building focused international attention on the textile industry's dismal pay and hazardous working conditions.

A new minimum-wage board will issue recommendations for pay raises within three months, Textiles Minister Abdul Latif Siddiky said. The cabinet will then decide whether to accept those proposals. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Branson honours a bet

British entrepreneur Richard Branson, left, poses with AirAsia's chief executive Tony Fernandes while dressed as a flight attendant on Sunday. The Virgin Group founder shaved his legs, put on lipstick and squeezed into the red outfit to honour a bet by serving as an attendant on an AirAsia trip from Perth, Australia, to Malaysia. Branson lost the bet to Fernandes in 2010 after they wagered their Formula One racing teams would finish ahead of each other. VINCENT THIAN/THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Greenhouse gases. Project aims to track megacities' emissions

Every time Los Angeles exhales, odd-looking gadgets anchored in the mountains above the city trace the invisible puffs of carbon dioxide, methane and other greenhouse gases that waft skyward.

Halfway around the globe, similar contraptions atop the Eiffel Tower and elsewhere around Paris keep a pulse on emissions from smokestacks and automobile tailpipes. And there is talk of outfitting Sao Paulo, Brazil, with sensors that sniff the byproducts of burning fossil fuels.

It's part of a budding effort to track the carbon footprints of megacities and urban hubs with more than 10 million people that are increasingly responsible for human-caused global warming.

For years, greenhouse pollutants have been closely monitored around the planet by stations on the ground and in space.

Now, scientists are observing large cities' emissions to help independently verify whether local climate goals are being met.

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URBAN COMPASS

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The dirty little secret about democracy in Canada is that the way we decide most of our elections just isn't very fair.

The first-past-the-post system, where the winner is simply the candidate who gets a plurality of votes in a crowded field, leads to endless guilt trips about strategic voting.

We push people to vote for the lesser-of-two-evils, under the guise that voting for a candidate with little shot of winning is nothing but a wasted vote.

The limitations of the system are most clear at the local level. In Toronto, candidates for City Council in 2010 won elections with as little as 19 per cent of the vote.

And in 2014, Mayor Rob Ford is likely to hang his re-election chances on a vote split between two or more challengers — his team is practically salivating at the notion of a race where NDP MP Olivia Chow and TTC chair Karen Stintz each carve off a chunk of the opposition vote.

If this kind of thing was just something inherent to democracy and elections, so be it. But there's an alternative: A report coming to Toronto City Hall this week lays out the pros and cons of a system called Ranked Choice Voting.

I see a lot of pros, and not a lot of cons.

Ranked Choice Voting is simple: Instead of simply marking off a box beside one candidate on your ballot, you'd rank them. So your first-choice candidate would get a "1," your second choice a "2" and so on.

When it comes time to tabulate, the first-choice votes would be counted. If a majority isn't achieved, the last place candidate is eliminated from the count and their second-place votes distributed. The process continues until someone nets a majority win.

The net effect is that voters can use their first-choice to support candidates who best match their views, while giving their second- or third-choice support to the mainstream candidate that they only sort of dislike.

So environmentalists can vote for the Green party candidate without concern that their vote is helping out oil-loving Conservatives. And libertarians can support the privatize-everything candidate without fear that they're offering tacit support to the NDP. No more guilt trips.

The report suggests we could implement this in Toronto as quickly as 2018 for the mayoral race, and 2022 for council.

The only real potential drawbacks identified are that a ranked-choice ballot might be hard to fit on a single sheet of paper, and that tabulating the votes on election night could take longer. To which I say: Hey, good news, computers have been invented. Sure, a new ballot system would require a fair amount of education and administrative change.

But that's a small price to pay for fairness.

Read more of Matt's blog, Ford for Toronto, at metronews.ca

ZOOM

Happy birthday, Buddha!

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It's the journey, not the destination

Buddhists carry lanterns in a parade during the Lotus Lantern Festival to celebrate the upcoming birthday of Buddha on a street in Seoul, South Korea, Sunday.

Legend has it that Buddha was born to a royal Hindu family in what is now Nepal, and on the night he was conceived, his mother, Queen Maya, dreamed a white elephant with six white tusks walked around her three times, then hit her and disappeared into her right side. When she became pregnant, Queen Maya set off for her father's kingdom to give birth, as was the tradition.

But Buddha was born along the journey in a garden beneath a sal tree.

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On a full moon

2,557

Although the exact date is unknown, scholars believe Buddha was born around 2,557 years ago. In Korea, his birthday is traditionally celebrated on the full moon in May.

The light in the dark

Across Asia, Buddha's birthday is celebrated with colourful parades. The lighting of a lotus-shaped lantern in Buddhism traditionally symbolizes a display of religious devotion to performing good deeds and lighting up the dark parts of the world that are filled with agony.

Across South Korea, many temples provide free meals and tea to all visitors. DAILYMAIL.CO.UK

Kismet . 11-year-old twins give up b-day presents to help animals in shelters

News worth sharing

Media will always have to report on the tough stuff. But we know that Canada is full of compassionate people, inspiring projects and stories worth celebrating. Here's just one.

Just two months ago, Kismet the kitten arrived at the Burlington Humane Society (BHS) injured, hungry and sick.

Now Kismet is happy and healthy, thanks to people like Kendal and Alexandra Winters, 11-year-old twins, who in lieu of receiving birthday gifts donated to the BHS. Their $80 donation will help give animals like Kismet the attention and care they need to thrive.

Kendal and Alexandra aren't alone. The BHS says that since the minimum age to volunteer at the shelter is 15, many younger children collect donations as a way of helping.

"We are constantly in awe of how much these children care about animal welfare," says adoption counsellor Heather Ashcroft-Hill. "Donations ranging from cash, to food, supplies and toys help provide our animals with the best life possible."

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Craig and Marc Kielburger are founders of the international charity and educational partner Free The Children. Help the good news get around. Send your stories to goodnews@metowe.com and we'll share them right here.

Letters

RE: Hockey Alberta to Ban Body Checking at Peewee Level, published May 8

As players for the Calgary Saints Division 2 Peewee Hockey Team, we disagree with the ban on checking in the Peewee and Bantam age groups.

We are both 12-year-olds. If the ban on checking goes ahead, when we get to the Bantam level where checking is allowed, we will be playing against players who will have three years of playing with checking, while we will only have one year of experience. We will have forgotten how to check safely, and will be injured much more easily. Also, if you ban checking at this level only in Alberta, when we go out of province to play, we won't know how to take a check safely.

Instead of taking away checking completely, we think there should be a zero-tolerance policy on head-hunting, which means deliberately hitting another player in the head.

Checking makes the game more exciting for both players and spectators. It is an important part of the game of hockey — please don't take it away!

Curtis Jackson and Kieran Ruscheinski, Calgary

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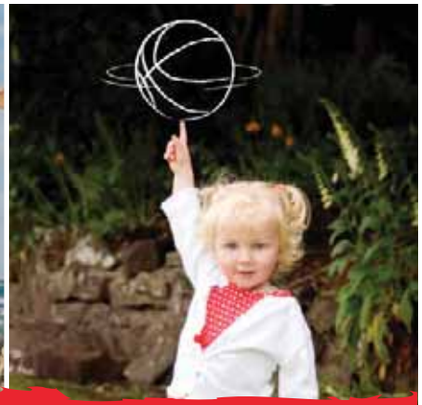

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The way we watch television has changed rapidly over the last decade with the rise of the Internet. Today, all it takes is a smartphone to plug into your favourite program. Over the next few days, Metro takes a look at how television has shaped us, and where it might go next. Today, we take a look back, beginning in a time when the concept of television was an intellectual imagining.

METRO WORLD NEWS

The history of television

1900
Russian scientist Constantin Perskyi coins the word "television" in a paper at the World's Fair in Paris. Trading cards sold there predict colour TV and news radio in the year 2000.

1925
Russian-born Vladimir Zworykin patents the first television colour tube. First moving image transmitted.

1928
Television introduced in the United States, followed by Britain, Germany, France and the Soviet Union.

1930
American inventor Charles Francis Jenkins broadcasts the first television commercial.

1939
Television introduced in Japan and Italy. Regular TV broadcasts introduced in the United States.

1936
Berlin Olympics become the world's first televised sports event. The BBC introduces the world's first regular TV service: three hours per day.

1947
U.S. news program Meet the Press launched. Harry Truman is first U.S. president to address the nation from White House via television. He asks for food for Europe.

1951
Colour TV first introduced in the United States.

1952
U.S. morning TV program Today Show begins.

1954
Over half of U.S. households own a TV set.

1956
Elvis Presley appears on the Ed Sullivan Show.

1960
TV debate between John F. Kennedy and Richard Nixon decides U.S. election.

1969
Neil Armstrong and Buzz Aldrin (pictured) on the moon, watched by more than 700 million people.

1971
U.S. sitcom All in the Family launched, possibly first to discuss homosexuality.

1976
Sony introduces first home video recorder.

1980
The 'Who Shot J.R.?' instalment of the soap opera Dallas becomes the most-watched TV program in U.S. history.

1983
The final episode of M*A*S*H becomes the most-watched television program in history.

1985
First Blockbuster video-rental store opens.

1989
The Simpsons premieres. Airing that same year: Seinfeld.

1995
DVD player invented.

1999
TiVo, which allows users to record shows while skipping ads, launched.

1999
Reality TV boom begins with shows like Big Brother and Who Wants to Be a Millionaire? Even bigger deal: The Sopranos premieres.

2010
3-D TV introduced.

2011
NCIS is the most popular TV drama in the United States.

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Those Roaring Twenties

Gatsby gives Iron Man a run for its money

Gatsby looks almost as great as a superhero at the box office. Leonardo DiCaprio's The Great Gatsby partied like it was the Roaring Twenties with a $51.1-million debut that made it a surprisingly strong runner-up to comic-book blockbuster Iron Man 3. Studio estimates Sunday put Gatsby at No. 2 behind Robert Downey Jr.'s superhero sequel. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

May the Force be with U.K.

Episode VII to be shot in Britain

The next Star Wars movie will be shot in a galaxy far, far away from Hollywood — Britain. Lucasfilm President Kathleen Kennedy says the company has reached a deal with British Treasury chief George Osborne to make it in England. The first new movie is due for release in 2015. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

This summer's big movies feature Isla Fisher. GETTY IMAGES

Isla Fisher heats up summer blockbusters

Now you see her — twice. With Gatsby and Now You See Me, Fisher packs a one-two summer-movie season punch

Yes, that's Isla Fisher appearing in two of the first major films of the season: the latest adaptation of F. Scott Fitzgerald's The Great Gatsby, as well as the crime caper Now You See Me.

"It's really exciting," Fisher says. "I guess I don't feel any pressure because I'm not the lead in either movie."

In Gatsby, she's the ill-fated Myrtle Wilson — logging precious, but little, screen time. In Now You See Me, Fisher plays one of a quartet of magicians who use their talents to take back money from immoral millionaires and return it to the people they bilked. The film boasts an all-star cast, including Morgan Freeman and Woody Harrelson. "And Mark Ruffalo is chasing after us, and Melanie Laurent and Michael Caine," she adds in a recent interview. "(It's) basically a lot of people nominated for Oscars — and then me, a SAG member, committing these heists."

During filming of Now You See Me, Fisher (whose first name is pronounced EYE-luh) had a close call.

"I was chained underwater," the 37-year-old Australian-raised actress recalls. "I had a quick release on my wrists and a quick release on my feet, but the chain that was tying my wrists to my ankles ... It got looped around the bottom of the tank. I'd already been under for two-and-a-half minutes, and I couldn't get up for air. And I did have a moment of, just, 'Oh my gosh. Not in a swimming costume. No one wants to go in a swimming costume.'"

Fisher, who has two children with actor-husband Sacha Baron Cohen, seemed poised for name-above-the-title stardom after a breakout performance in the 2005 comedy Wedding Crashers and headlining the 2010 comedy Confessions of a Shopaholic, which grossed more than $100 million worldwide.

But that success did not catapult her to leading-lady stardom. Instead, she's stayed steadily employed as a working character actor. "I naturally gravitate towards people who don't mind getting ugly," Fisher says. "That's why I think I've not really enjoyed the 'ingenue' road, or at least it has not been offered to me, because I'm willing to pull a bad face, and to sweat a bit. Or glow."

The Great Gatsby opened Friday. Now You See Me opens May 31.

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Nick Lachey will reunite with 98 Degrees for a summer tour. GETTY IMAGES

Family takes centre stage for this summer's 98 Degrees tour

Q&A. Nick Lachey talks Package tour, lullabies and diapers

MEREDITH ENGEL
Metro World News in NYC

With his new Fisher-Price CD A Father's Lullaby, Nick Lachey found a way to combine two of his greatest loves: music and his son, Camden. But his latest solo project and his 8-month-old baby aren't the only projects keeping him busy these days: he's also readying for a summer tour with the reunited 98 Degrees, with Boyz II Men and New Kids on the Block for an arena tour appropriately dubbed The Package. On top of that, 98 Degrees have just released a new album, their first in more than a decade. We caught up with Lachey before he started rehearsals for the summer shows.

We hear you're gonna bring Camden on the road with you this summer.
I am, yeah. I don't wanna miss anything. He changes so much and I don't wanna miss a moment, so selfishly I'm gonna bring him on the road. We're all gonna tour as a family. (My brother) Drew and I are gonna share a bus. My family will be out for a while and his family will come out for a while. The cool thing about doing it with the group again is that we're at different times in our lives. We get to share it now with our families and with our kids, which is cool.

With all those babies, is it gonna be a gigantic kid-friendly party on the bus?
Well, between the three bands on this tour we have about 30 kids combined. There's gonna be quite a few kids and quite a few nannies running around.

When you reunited with the group, was it easy to pick up where you guys left off?
It all kind of felt like it just fell back into place. It was really natural and it almost seemed like it was yesterday. That felt good. It's been a lot of fun, and as long as we're having fun, the rest is easy.

You guys will be dancing, we hope.
We will be dancing. Some people call it dancing. Other people may call it convulsing. The music's changed a lot over the course of the last 12 years. With this new album, I think we've done a good job of changing with the times, but also staying true to who we are. It's a lot more up-tempo stuff on this record because that's kind of where music's at, but we're excited to introduce everybody to it and we're excited for people to hear the record.

So kids' music is not the final be-all, end-all of Nick Lachey's career?
(Laughs) If that were gonna be the case, I'd be fine with that. I loved making that record, but no. It's cool to be able to do different things. The lullaby project was very different from the 98 Degrees project and very different from other solo projects. Each one has their own vibe and their own process and they're all fun in their own right.

Did you and your fellow bandmates keep in touch while you were on your hiatus?
Oh yeah, we talked all the time and we saw each other quite a few times. I saw Justin a lot more because we live in Cincinnati. We all remain very good friends. As far as the reunion goes, we always kept the door open on that. (With) timing and fitting everyone's schedules, I think now is the time that makes the most sense.

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Jessica Alba reveals wild-child past during interview with her mom

Jessica Alba was something of a hard-drinking, car-stealing wild child, she admits to her mother during a sit-down with Entertainment Weekly. While reminiscing about the first boy she brought home as a preteen, Alba fesses up: "We accidentally drank Wild Turkey," she says. "How old was I with Santino? Eleven?" But that's not the only memory Alba has of her bad behaviour. "Remember when I used to steal the car and go to Jack in the Box?" she asks her mom. "We could go get food. Like, that was our activity! But I was, you know, 12."

Poehler and comedian Kroll said to be dating

Parks and Recreation star Amy Poehler is reportedly dating comedian Nick Kroll, her first dose of romance since splitting with husband Will Arnett last September, according to Us Weekly. "She was looking for a guy like him," a source says. "She wanted a comedian who 'gets' her." Kroll and Poehler have been friends for a while, with Kroll playing a recurring role on her sitcom since 2011.

Amy Poehler

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OUR TAKE ON THE WORLD OF CELEBRITIES

Pop goes the week

Lohan has a pout while Pattinson and Perry hang out

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This week in bridal fashion crimes. The colours for Mama June and Sugar Bear's wedding were camouflage, hot pink and orange while, much worse, Keira Knightley got married in a dress she'd worn back in 2009.

Researchers at the University of New South Wales find that men with beards are generally judged much more attractive than clean-shaven men.
That explains the surge in sales at Eddie's Go-To Goatee Emporium.

In Dubai, a fan jumps the stage to hug Justin Bieber. Didn't we tell you not to grow that wispy moustache, Justin? Hmmm?

Robert Pattinson has reportedly been hanging out with Katy Perry. Don't panic, Robsten fans, he just wanted to find out what it's like to look at someone who occasionally arranges her mouth into the facial configuration commonly known as a "smile." He's safely back home now.

Martha Stewart says she regrets she never tried talking up Paul Newman and Robert Redford and getting to know them when she regularly sold them pastries at a Connecticut bakery decades ago. Even the regrets of celebrities are so much better.

Shia LaBeouf hands out copies of his self-penned comic book to strangers. "Not again," says the local garbage collector.

Lindsay Lohan calls her 90-day rehab sentence "pointless."
"That may be true for you," say the drivers of Los Angeles, "but at least it gives the rest of us a break from the endless terror."

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To friend or not to friend Mom on Facebook?

Josh Knoller, a young professional in New York City, spent years refusing his mother's "friend request" on Facebook before, eventually, "caving in."

Today they have an agreement: she'll try not to make embarrassing comments, and he can delete them if she does.

One in three mothers are connected with their teens over Facebook, according to the social networking giant's review of how users self-identify.

With more than one billion Facebook users, that's a lot of mothers and kids keeping in touch through social media, says Fordham University communications professor Paul Levinson, author of New New Media. "Facebook has been a boon to family relationships," says Levinson.

Kelly McBride, an assistant professor of communications at LaSalle University in Philadelphia, says her students who "friend" their mothers keep their Facebook pages benign, using other social media like Instagram or Twitter for the racy stuff.

"They may be willing to 'friend' their mother, but when they do, they take down the drinking or partying or suggestive photographs," she says.

Meanwhile, parenting expert Susan Newman recommends that mothers wait until their children are independent adults before friending them.

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Is three really more stressful?

New study. Weighing in on a report that claims three is the most stressful number of kids to have

IT'S ALL RELATIVE
Kathy Buckworth,
kathybuckworth.com

One of my favourite lines from The Simpsons is when Bart complains he is having the worst day of his life. "So far," responds his unsympathetic yet correctly predictive father Homer.

I liken that to a study by Today.com that suggests three is the most stressful number of children to have.

A mom of three explains that, versus two kids, the stress level increases when it comes to things like crossing the street. I would agree that getting three kids to do anything in tandem is harder than getting two kids to do it. But I have four kids, and to the best of my recollection, I don't recall sprouting an extra arm when that last child arrived.

Maybe for moms of three, three is the most stressful number of children for them to have ... so far.

The study indicates mothers of more than three kids, on average, described themselves as at a lower stress level than their triumvirate sisters.

It concludes that families with more than three children experience the Duggar Effect, referencing the TLC reality family with 19 children.

While I am 15 short of this number, I admit older kids can, on occasion, help younger kids. But does that really offset the stress of knowing you have more children to feed, clothe, potty train, change sheets for, teach how to drive, suffer through first dates with, explain birth control to and pay post-secondary education for? According to MoneySense.ca, the average cost of raising a child in Canada is almost $245,000. Adding this expense for each child doesn't raise your stress level? Really?

I'm not saying that three kids aren't stressful for a lot of people. It can be. Just like it is very stressful for some parents of one child, two, four, five, etc. I call it the Pitter Patter Principle. (The original Peter Principle I'm referencing states that people are promoted to a level of incompetency.)

One study claims that families with three kids have increased stress levels. ISTOCK

Perhaps those who are lucky enough to actively choose the number of children they have sometimes also reach beyond the level of what they would see as acceptable stress. They are not incompetent in this way, of course; they just learn when to stop.

So what comes first? The proverbial chicken or the fertilized egg? The stress of having kids or the stress level of the parents prior to having them? Since we can't give back the number of children we had past the third one to do a truly fair comparison (I may have tried), I guess we'll never know. KATHY BUCKWORTH IS AN AWARD WINNING WRITER. VISIT KATHYBUCKWORTH.COM OR FOLLOW KATHY ON TWITTER @KATHYBUCKWORTH.

Let Rover swim to safety rather than going in

Dogs' lungs have a higher capacity than humans'. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Watching as a beloved dog is swept out to sea is heart-wrenching. Doing nothing seems unthinkable. But experts say that is exactly what a dog owner should do: nothing.

"The human-animal bond is no joke. Most pet owners are very attached to their pets," says Dr. Lynn Miller, a veterinarian who runs an animal clinic north of San Francisco. "But you're not going to save your dog by risking your own life. It does your dog no favours in the end if he comes back and you're dead."

The average dog is a better swimmer than the average human. Dogs such as Labrador retrievers, German shepherds and pit bull terriers are built like boats, the vet says. Their heads are above water, they have a low centre of gravity, they have four legs for propulsion, their lungs have a higher capacity than a human's, their fur keeps them warm in cold water — and many have waterproof undercoats — and some dog breeds have webbed feet.

Using their namesake swim stroke, dogs can find their way back to shore using currents and their fight-or flight-instinct, Miller says.

Dogs are single-minded, and focus on finding safety, while humans panic or become distracted, Miller says. Owners who try to make a rescue also may go into shock from the cold water, try to fight the current and get tumbled around or tire easily, she says.

People also don't think about what will happen if they do follow a dog and manage to reach it alive, Miller says.

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Casual meets highbrow in Seafood Pasta Pizza with Dill

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Instead of the typical white-flour pizza crust, try this linguine pasta crust, which has more fibre and nutrients, and goat cheese that goes so well with the seafood.

1. Preheat oven to 350 F. Cook pasta in boiling water according to package instructions or until firm to the bite. Drain and place in mixing bowl. Add egg, milk and Parmesan cheese. Mix well. Pour into pan and bake 20 minutes.

2. In non-stick skillet sprayed with vegetable spray, sauté seafood just until cooked, approximately 3 minutes. Drain and set aside.

3. In same skillet, heat oil; sauté garlic, peppers and onions for 4 minutes.

This recipe serves six. MARK SHAPIRO, FROM ROSE REISMAN BRINGS HOME LIGHT PASTA (ROBERT ROSE)

4. Meanwhile, in small bowl combine stock, milk and flour until smooth. Add to skillet and simmer on low heat until thickened, approximately 2 minutes, stirring constantly. Add dill and seafood. Pour into pan. Sprinkle with mozzarella and goat cheese; bake for 10 minutes. Let rest for 10 minutes before serving.

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Ingredients

- 6 oz broken linguine
- 1 egg
- 1/3 cup 2% milk
- 3 tbsp grated Parmesan cheese
- 8 oz seafood, (shrimp, scallops, squid)
- 1 tsp vegetable oil
- 1 1/2 tsp crushed garlic
- 3/4 cup diced sweet red peppers
- 1/4 cup chopped green onions
- 1/4 cup sliced red onions
- 1 cup cold seafood or chicken stock
- 1 cup 2% milk
- 3 tbsp all-purpose flour
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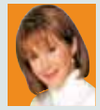

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Great for casual bites, Chili's restaurants can serve up a major amount of calories, fat and sodium if you're not careful. ROSE REISMAN'S CHOOSE IT AND LOSE IT (WHITECAP BOOKS) BY ROSE REISMAN/ PHOTO: MIKE MCCOLL, FROM ROSE REISMAN'S CHOOSE IT AND LOSE IT (WHITECAP BOOKS)

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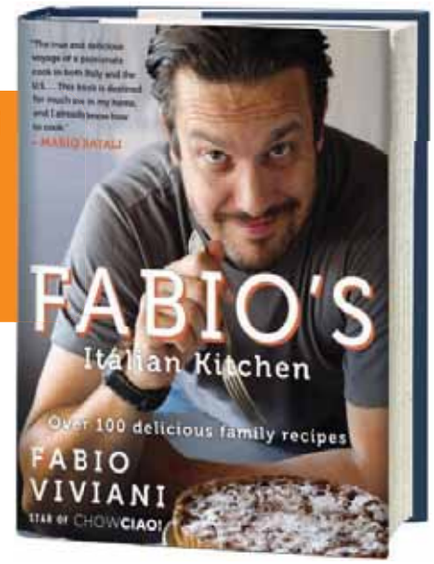

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Laying out the law: Get familiar with the field beyond the faces on TV

The jury's in. A world of opportunity awaits you in the land of the legal, but where do you successfully start your search?

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OK, you're addicted to law shows on TV — and if nothing new is on, you won't mind watching the old Law & Order episodes you now know by heart. Maybe you should consider a law career.

Sure, you could apply to law school, but there are other opportunities to work in the legal system that can be equally rewarding.

How about becoming a law clerk or paralegal?

Know your stuff

"As a law clerk you have to understand the process inside out. That means you need to anticipate what the next step is and what the requirements will be so you're always ahead of the game.

Karen Goncalves
Senior litigation law clerk and licensed paralegal

A law clerk's job is mostly administrative, relieving lawyers of routine duties and helping them with more complex legal work when needed.

A paralegal has been educated to take on more legal responsibilities, but still under the guidance of a lawyer.

Their work touches every aspect of law, from land-use and expropriation, to criminal, tax, entertainment law and more.

A typical day might include drafting correspondence and legal documents, reviewing documents, researching, conducting client or third-party interviews and liaising with clients, courts and other counsel.

In Ontario, for example, paralegals can now be licensed and regulated like a lawyer (by the Law Society) and can practise law within a restricted scope, appearing before certain lower-level courts and administrative tribunals.

They have to pass a licensing exam.

Both the law clerk and unlicensed paralegal do not have to carry any liability insurance, while a licensed paralegal does.

There are college-level programs for both law clerk and paralegal.

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Tracking the field

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- Law Clerk: $28K – $67K
- Paralegal: $37K – $55K

CAREER PATH

- Law clerks often start as admin assistants in a law firm and work their way up to a law clerk position.
- Paralegals also start in a law firm, and in Ontario they can become a licensed paralegal as well. Law clerks, paralegals and licensed paralegals (in Ontario) could find themselves working in the legal department of a large private corporation.
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Study says there's more to flipping burgers than students may know

Young and able.
Research reveals that students who take on jobs in high school more likely to succeed

JULIA FURLAN
Metro World News

Can I get you a career with that? ISTOCK

According to a study published by Drexel University's Center for Labour Markets and Policy, teens who spend some time bagging groceries or siphoning fries into happy meals have a larger shot at success throughout their career.

Paul Harrington, a Drexel University labour economist and lead author of the study, says that work experience in a formal job during high school (from ages 16 to 19) correspond to a 20 to 25 per cent increase in salary for teens almost a decade later. In this case, a "formal" job means a gig in food service or retail for a larger company, as opposed to work like babysitting or cutting the neighbor's grass. High school students who work, he says, are also more likely to have a job a decade after high school than their peers. The numbers are even stronger for teen boys, Harrington says.

"I think there's a dignity in work," Harrington says. "It's really important for people to understand how they contribute to making an organization function. The way you understand how that works is by doing it."

The other piece of data that the study revealed is that attendance in high school is a very strong indicator of good things to come. Harrington says that having high daily attendance in school means that students have a much higher chance of graduating from college.

"Woody Allen said 90 per cent of life is showing up," Harrington says. "Turns out he was right."

The wonders of work

"It's really important for people to understand how they contribute to making an organization function."
Paul Harrington
Drexel University labour economist

Frown-worthy findings

So what's the bad news?

The Drexel University study also found that as the economy has suffered, jobs for teens have become more difficult to come by. In the Metro Philadelphia area, for example, the study revealed that in 2000, about 44 per cent of teens between the ages of 16 and 19 had jobs. Today, that number has fallen to 25 per cent, mostly due to the lack of employment opportunities, and also to the fact that older workers are holding onto jobs longer than they have in previous decades.

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Phil Kessel puts the puck past Tuukka Rask to give the Maple Leafs a 2-0 lead in the third period on Sunday night at Air Canada Centre. Kessel scored after Dion Phaneuf made it 1-0 earlier in the third, and the Leafs held on for a 2-1 win to send the first-round series back to Boston for Game 7 on Monday night. STEVE RUSSELL/TORSTAR NEWS SERVICE

Leafs bloom in 3rd to force series to 7

NHL playoffs. First-round clash now in do-or-die scenario as Buds finally give fans Toronto fans a post-season win at ACC

Captain Dion Phaneuf and Phil Kessel scored third-period goals as the surging Toronto Maple Leafs edged the Boston Bruins 2-1 Sunday night to send their playoff series back to Boston for Game 7.

Milan Lucic scored for Boston with 26 seconds left in the third.

Game 6

Maple Leafs	Bruins
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The only time Toronto has come back from a 3-1 deficit to win the series was the 1942 Stanley Cup final against the Detroit Red Wings. The Leafs trailed 3-0 in that series before reeling off four straight wins.

Toronto's last Game 7 win was in 2004 — the last time the Leafs made the playoffs — when it beat Ottawa 4-1 to wrap up their first-round series.

The Leafs will have momentum in their corner this time. The Bruins' companion will be self-doubt after a second failed attempt at closing out the series.

James Reimer was again steady in the Toronto net, making 29 saves to earn the win.

For Phaneuf, scoring was sweet redemption after being involved in the play that led to the Bruins' overtime winner in Game 3.

It came at 1:48 of the third period after Nazem Kadri ripped a wrist shot that was tipped in by Phaneuf, who had made his way to the front of the goal after continuing his rush. Boston had lost the puck in the Toronto end on an attempt at a flash pass by David Krejci.

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Decades in the making

54

Sunday night's win snapped the Leafs' 54-year home playoff drought against the Bruins. Toronto's last home playoff win against Boston was March 31, 1959, a 3-2 win in overtime. Nine straight post-season home losses followed in the decades since with Boston outscoring Toronto 38-24.

NHL playoffs

Rangers pop Caps' bubble in N.Y.C.

Henrik Lundqvist stopped 27 shots for his seventh NHL playoff shutout and Derick Brassard scored in the second-period as the New York Rangers stayed alive with a 1-0 win over the Washington Capitals on Sunday to force a Game 7 in the first-round series. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Head injuries

Report: Boogaard family files lawsuit against NHL

The New York Times is reporting that Derek Boogaard's family has filed a wrongful-death lawsuit against the NHL.

In the lawsuit, the family says the NHL is responsible for the brain damage that Boogaard sustained during six seasons as an enforcer, and for his addiction to prescription painkillers. Boogaard was found dead of an accidental overdose of pain medication and alcohol on May 13, 2011. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

MLB

Jays bash their way past BoSox

Jose Bautista hit two of Toronto's five home runs, and the Blue Jays beat the Boston Red Sox 12-4 Sunday to take two of three in the weekend series.

Emilio Bonifacio, Edwin Encarnacion and Brett Lawrie also homered for the Blue Jays, who have won just seven of their last 20 and are last in the AL East at 15-24. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

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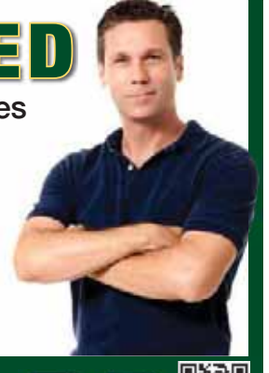

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Curry overcomes ankle worry to lead Warriors' OT flurry

NBA playoffs. Golden State and San Antonio head into Game 5 tied at two games apiece

His spirits down, his left ankle limp and his team's season hanging in the balance, Stephen Curry wondered whether he could recover for the biggest game of his career until a text message popped up on his phone around 2 a.m. Saturday.

Curry called back his mother, Sonya, and vented his frustrations about his latest — and most inopportune — injury setback. Finally, she spoke up to calm his concerns.

"She just reminded me ... to rely on my teammates and support," Curry said.

What followed was a Mother's Day masterpiece.

Stephen Curry and the Warriors beat the Spurs 97-87 in overtime Sunday. GETTY IMAGES

Curry scored 22 points to go with six rebounds and four assists on a bum ankle, rallying the Golden State Warriors past the San Antonio Spurs 97-87 in overtime Sunday to even the Western Conference semifinal at two games apiece.

"It seems like every time you get on a roll and feel somewhat healthy there's a setback," said Curry, who shot 7-for-15 from the floor, including 5-for-10 from three-point range. "And it just tests you. It changes your routine. It changes your outlook on the game, your preparation. You've got to deal with the injury and the adjustments you're making as a team."

Game 5 is Tuesday in San Antonio.

Harrison Barnes had 26 points and 10 rebounds, Jarrett Jack added 24 points in reserve and Andrew Bogut grabbed 18 rebounds to help Golden State erase an eight-point deficit in the final five minutes of regulation. The Warriors followed that up by scoring the first nine points of overtime.

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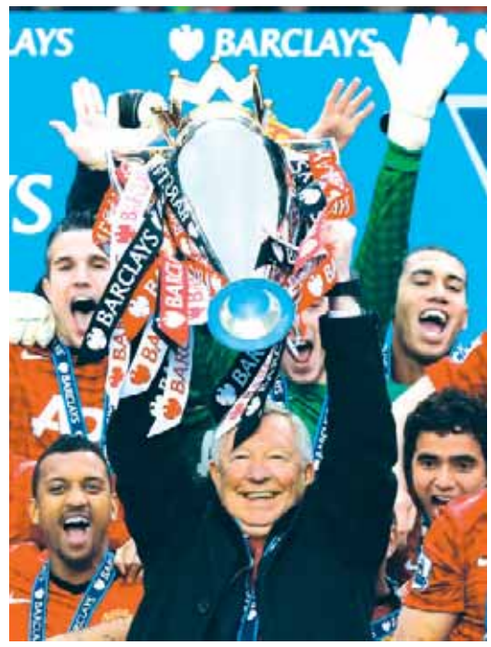

One more for the trophy case

Manchester United manager Alex Ferguson lifts the Premier League trophy following his team's 2-1 win over Swansea City on Sunday in Manchester, England. In his final home game before retirement, Ferguson claimed his 13th Premier League trophy and 38th trophy overall with United. ALEX LIVESEY/GETTY IMAGES

PGA

Woods talks with clubs for TPC title

Tiger Woods had the last word against Sergio Garcia by winning the Players Championship on Sunday.

Woods ended a weekend of verbal sparring with Garcia by doing what he does best — closing out tournaments, even if he let this one turn into a tense duel over the final hour at the TPC Sawgrass. Tied with Garcia with two holes to play, Woods won by finding land on the last two holes for par to close with a 2-under 70.

Garcia was standing on the 17th tee shot, staring across the water to an island as Woods made his par. He took aim at the flag with his wedge and hung his head when he saw the ball splash down short of the green. Then, Garcia hit another one in the water on his way to a quadruple-bogey 7. He completed his stunning collapse by hitting his tee shot into the water on the 18th and making double bogey.

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Horoscopes

Aries
March 21 - April 20
Make an effort to see yourself the way others see you today. It's great that you have such a strong self-image but sometimes it makes it hard to understand why not everyone looks at life the same way.

Taurus
April 21 - May 21
The methods you have been using may be effective for you but that does not mean they are right for everyone. You will find yourself at odds with someone you work with today.

Gemini
May 22 - June 21
Your heart and your head are pulling you in opposite directions and it won't be until later in the week that you choose one approach over the other.

Cancer
June 22 - July 23
Keep your wits about you as the new week begins and try to maintain a light-hearted attitude to everything that happens. Some people may be feeling a bit down but that does not mean you have to get down there with them.

Leo
July 24 - Aug. 23
The best way to deal with people who annoy you is to ignore them. There is something imperious in the Leo nature and if you make out that someone does not exist no one else will believe they exist either.

Virgo
Aug. 24 - Sept. 23
It may be tempting to sell off a treasured possession so you can pay an outstanding debt but that's not a good idea.

Libra
Sept. 24 - Oct. 23
The cosmic pattern is slowly but surely shifting in your favor and by the end of the week the dark days will be behind you. Today you will have to deal with an emotional issue of some kind.

Scorpio
Oct. 24 - Nov. 22
You will have to make a difficult decision either today or tomorrow and some people are sure to be disappointed. That's not your concern. The only thing that matters is you stay true to your principles.

Sagittarius
Nov. 23 - Dec. 21
You may be easygoing by nature but when aroused you make a tenacious opponent. Today's events will encourage you to stand up for those who cannot stand up for themselves. With you on their side they might just win.

Capricorn
Dec. 22 - Jan. 20
You may worry that if you don't act quickly you will miss out on an opportunity of some kind but it isn't true. In fact the planets indicate most strongly that you should bide your time.

Aquarius
Jan. 21 - Feb. 19
If you have to be critical of someone today, either at home or at work, make sure you wrap up what you say in some kind of sugar coating. Not everyone has such a robust ego as you.

Pisces
Feb. 20 - March 20
Throwing money at a problem won't get you anywhere. If you stand back from your current situation a bit you will see it's not nearly as bad as you fear. It never is. **SALLY BROMPTON**

Crossword: Canada Across and Down

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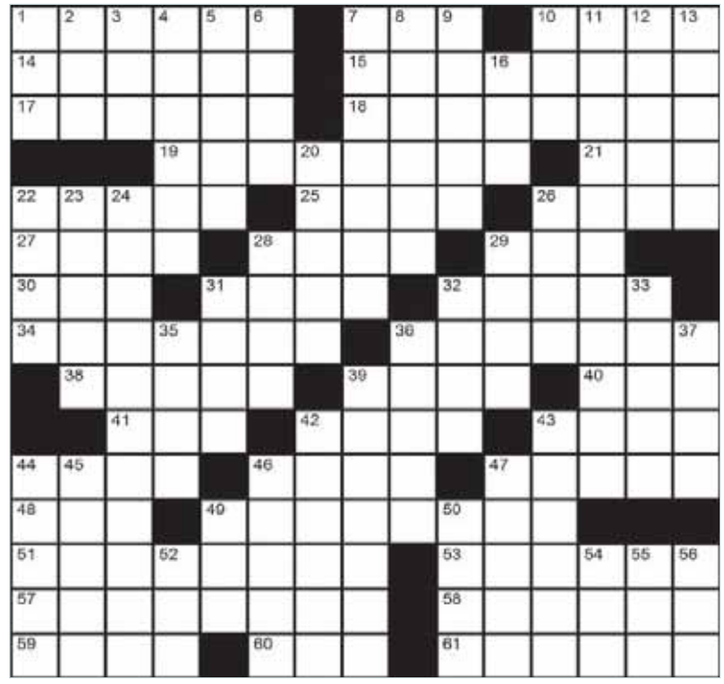
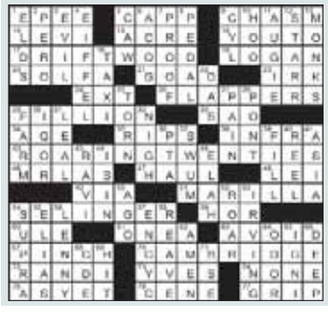


Across
1. Minimal or paltry
7. '_' __ in Calgary
10. Eleven: French
14. Spotted big cat
15. Some briefcases
17. __ Vision (Eyewear chain)
18. Chained steeping gadgets
19. Computer purchase
21. Handheld mobile device [acronym]
22. Superhero accessories
25. Bible verb, used with Thou
26. Potter's supply
27. Hurting
28. Nastiness
29. Unheard in "The Silence of the Lambs" (1991)
30. Month we're in, in French
31. Elephant's one of two
32. Jesus' mom's namesakes
34. Driveway surface
36. Anne of Green Gables portrayer, Megan __
38. Kindle download
39. Trudge
40. "__ chance!"
41. __ and downs
42. Grub
43. Sandra Bullock movie, "Two __ __ Sea" (1996)
44. But: French
46. Showy flower
47. Cup: French
48. __-inclusive
49. Our robotic space icon
51. Manitoba waterway: 2 wds.
53. Hurried
57. Manipulator, often in showbiz
58. Mr. Rains of "Casablanca" (1942)
59. Group of cattle
60. Fleur-de-__
61. Icon

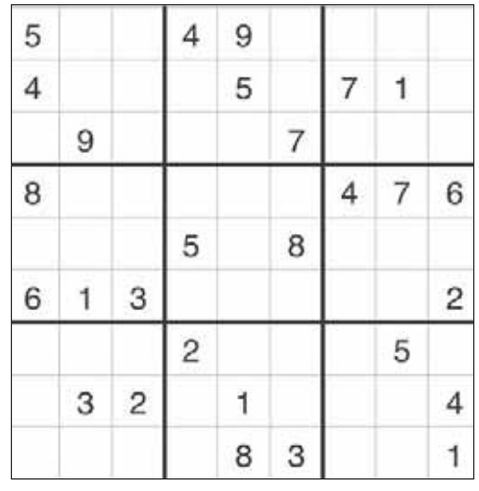
Down
1. Matthew Broderick's wife's monogram
2. Papua New Guinea seaport
3. Lettered grocery store
4. Mordecai Richler novel, Solomon __ Was Here
5. Heavenly hats
6. Not kosher
7. Supermodel's workplace
8. "Relax!" (Boot camp order): 2 wds.
9. Begin
10. Wood sorrel
11. Sports event currently underway: acr. + wd.
12. Nintendo's The Legend of __
13. Composition
16. Daniel Day-Lewis' li'l Oscar role
20. Retro dance, The __
22. Papa's wife
23. Getting _ __ of the jitters (Pre-competition fear)
24. Irving, for one (Its head office is in Halifax)
26. TV legend Mr. Reiner
28. __ up (Gain muscle mass)
29. North American bird, __ Eagle
31. New Mexico art colony
32. State of mind
33. Cotton __ (Medicine cabinet items)
35. Skips
36. Rock band, with Pink
37. Eye problem
39. The North Star
42. __-chopped onions
43. 2001 Michelle Pfeiffer/Sean Penn movie: 3 wds.
44. Liquidy low-lying land
45. Pain relief brand
46. Montreal suburb
47. Sincerely
49. Puffy li'l prop for George Burns
50. Circle segments
52. Circular, for short
54. Focal point
55. Tokyo's former name
56. Rocker Mr. Shannon

Friday's Crossword



Sudoku

How to play
Fill in the grid, so that every row, every column and every 3x3 box contains the digits 1-9. There is no math involved.



Friday's Sudoku

8	1	6	2	3	5	7	4	9
4	2	5	9	6	7	8	3	1
3	9	7	4	1	8	2	5	6
6	3	2	8	5	1	4	9	7
9	7	4	6	2	3	5	1	8
1	5	8	7	4	9	3	6	2
5	4	9	1	8	2	6	7	3
7	8	3	5	9	6	1	2	4
2	6	1	3	7	4	9	8	5

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